

Del. of Auth. (Gentry)
14 April 1948

Mr. Lawrence R. Houston

Asst. Chief, Fiscal Division

Delegation of Authority for Advertising

Pursuant to telephone conversation of yesterday afternoon, there is indicated below the suggested Delegation of Authority for the publishing of advertising on behalf of this Agency.

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"By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of Central Intelligence, I delegate the power to authorize the publication of advertisements, notices, or proposals necessary in the furtherance of Agency activities to the Chief of each [redacted] CIA, Mission or independent station located outside the continental limits of the U.S.

"The effective date of this order is 1 January 1948 and it shall remain in effect until rescinded."

In connection with this matter, your attention is invited to 3628 Revised Statutes (44 U.S.C. 324) paragraph 12 of Public Law No. 600 - 79th Congress and General Regulations No. 100 which can be found on page 986, Volume 26, Decisions of the Comptroller General of the U.S.

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Buck Slip to Exec. for A&M, Exec. Dir., Dep. Dir., Dir. from LRH with pen notation "This is a proper delegation & is needed to cover the Chief of the [redacted] Director's signature required. Mr. [redacted] is prepared to issue appropriate forms & instructions to field.